



Weekly Newsletter

Living to Learn, Learning to Live



REACH FOR THE STARS

10.07.2026

KEY DATES

13.07.26 - 6KJ Art Trip

14.07.26 - Y6 Cinema Trip

14.07.26 - Transition to new classes

15.07.26 9:15am - EYFS/KS1 Awards Assembly

15.07.26 1:45pm - Rocksteady Concert

16.07.26 9:15am - KS2 Awards Assembly

17.07.26 9:15am - Y6 Leavers Assembly

17.07.26 1pm - Y6 Disco

20.07.26 - Games Day!

20.07.26 2pm - Finish for Summer Holidays

01.09.26 8:45am - School opens for the 2026/27 academic year

Hello Parents and Carers!

This week in school, we held our second Culture Day. It was a great success and the children had a brilliant time - more details and photos are on the next page of this newsletter. We also held Parent Meetings this week for parents of children new to

Nursery, Reception or Year 1. Thank you to all those who attended!

We have also had lots of children going out on trips this week - Chess Club to St George's Hall, Eco Club to a recycling centre, Year 2 to Martin Mere and 6MC have been out today on their trip around Liverpool to look at local art. The children have represented our school brilliantly while they were out and we are very proud!

Next week is a really busy one, with our annual Awards Assemblies taking place, as well as the Y6 Leavers' Assembly and our first ever Rocksteady Concert! Please be aware these events are by invitation only - if your child is involved, you will have received information about these events. Today, your child will be bringing home their end-of-year report. We hope you enjoy reading it and celebrating their achievements this year! Next Friday's newsletter will be the final one of this academic year, however a reminder that **school does not close until 2pm on Monday 20th July.**

This is a normal school day on which we have lots of nice things planned and all children are expected to attend school. It would be a shame for them to miss out on the fun with their friends, and we want a big crowd for when we say our goodbyes to Year 6 and the staff members we have leaving us!

Have a lovely weekend!

Miss Howard

THIS WEEK IN ASSEMBLY

This week in our Monday assembly, we welcomed our friends from Christ Church for our final assembly of the year with them. A huge thank you to Christ Church for all of their help and support this year! The children love your assemblies!

We then stayed in the hall afterwards to watch the highlights of England beating Mexico!! The children were very excited and thoroughly enjoyed celebrating our win!



Year One Phonics

This week in Phonics, Year 1 have been looking at alternative graphemes for the 'air' sound.

We have looked at:
'are': care, fare, share
'ere': there, where, were
'ear': bear, pear, tear

Can you read the following sentence?

The bear over there with the pear would not share and did not care!

Look out for these sounds in your reading books!

ATTENDANCE is one of our school values

As a school we strive to achieve at least 97% attendance. We have only achieved this on one day this week - let's finish the year really strong with a few brilliant weeks of attendance!

OVERALL - 93.5%

Monday - **91.4%**

Tuesday - **95.7%**

Wednesday - **95.9%**

Thursday - **93.5%**

Friday - **90.2%**



Well done to RSR, 1PP and 2EB for having over 97% attendance this week! RSR will receive Champions' Breakfast next week for having the highest attendance - they had 100%! Amazing!!



Culture Day

On Tuesday this week, we held our second Celebration of Culture Day. Following on from the success of the first Culture Day two years ago, Miss Greathead very kindly organised another fantastic event for our children and families. Throughout the day, the children were able to take part in lots of different activities to celebrate culture around the world. They visited the school hall which was set up with stalls dedicated to different countries, region and cultures around the world - many of which were set up by some of our lovely parents, having the opportunity to find out information about that place, listen to traditional music and see traditional dress, and even sample some food from different cultures! Children also learned about the 'Fiesta de Abril' festival in Seville from our Spanish teacher, Margarita, had a go at a flamenco dance and even tried some sangria (made using a child-friendly recipe!). They also took part in some meditation with Miss Greathead, found out about their own culture within our local area with Mrs Yates and also all contributed to a piece of artwork linked to tolerance and respect which will be going up in our school.



It really was a fantastic day and we would like to say a huge thank you to all of the parents and staff who were involved. A special thanks goes to Miss Greathead who put the whole day together - not an easy task for a school of 400 pupils! We really do appreciate your efforts, Miss Greathead, and thank you for putting together such a wonderful experience for our children!



TTRS AND NUMBOTS WINNERS THIS WEEK

TTRS

Most correct answers: James C Y3 - 15,037

Most coins: James C Y3 - 138,563

Improved speed: Albie B Y3 - Improved by 2.04 seconds

Fastest current studio speed: Luke S Y4 - 0.4 seconds

Numbots

Most minutes played: Allanah S Y1 - 63 minutes

Correct answers: Tommy M Y1 - 1,195

Most coins: Allanah S Y1 - 6,835

Effort



NUMBOTS

CURRENTLY READING...

In school, every class dedicates 15 minutes a day to reading for pleasure from a carefully-crafted reading spine. This allows children to explore new worlds, builds imagination and develop a lifelong love for books!

This week's recommendation comes from Nursery!

Nursery recommend 'Clean Up' by Dapo Adeola.

The Nursery children have loved the way a young girl brings the community together to help local sea life threatened by plastic pollution!

